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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

BOX MISSING PARTS

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Application mailed on November 16, 2001, a copy of which is enclosed, Applicants submit herewith the declaration, which has been executed by the Applicants, **Jean BLANCHET, Hervé CATHELIN, Christian HEBERT, and Olivier NOUYRIT**. Also enclosed is the Power of Attorney which has been signed by an authorized representative of the Assignee, Nestec S.A.

The fee for the submission of this Response is estimated to be **\$130**. Please charge all required fees to Winston & Strawn Deposit Account No. 501-814. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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